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MESSAGE TO MINK REPORTING WAVELENGTHS; ERIKA'S WAVELENGTH (1941)

From : MOSCOW

To : STOCKHOLM

No. : 347

5 May 41

To MINK(1).

By day we are listening (on)(a) 21 [1 group unrecovered]

[62 groups unrecoverable]

. ERIKA(ERIK4)(11) is listening (on)(a) 96.

No. 4302

LA.....(111)

Note: (a) Inserted by translator.

Comments: [1] MINK : Unidentified STOCKHOLM cover-name. Occurs as a signa
in STOCKHOLM's No. 778 of 29th July 1940 (3/NEP/T1537)
as a signatory, and in the text of other messages.

[11] ERIKA : Unidentified cover-name. Only occurrence at present.

[111] LA..... : Presumably this must be LANOV, i.e. Col. BALTENKO of
Cipher Department in MOSCOW, but cannot yet be proved

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ERIK4 is not in use. ... "as known ABC"